

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

ANTHONY TRUPIA,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. CIV-24-498-J
	)	
HERITAGE HARD ASSETS LLC, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**CLERK’S DENIAL OF ENTRY OF DEFAULT**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 55(a), Plaintiff has requested entry of default against the following Defendants: Reagan Gold Group, LLC; World Harvest Church, Inc.; and South Bay Galleries LLC. [Doc. No. 46]. Through affidavit, Plaintiff provides that “service was [made] by delivery via United States Post Office Certified Mail,” pursuant to Okla. Stat. tit. 12, § 2004(C)(2).<sup>1</sup> [Doc. No. 47]. However, under § 2004(C)(2)(c), “[s]ervice by mail shall not be the basis for the entry of a default or a judgment by default unless the record contains a return receipt showing acceptance by the defendant or a returned envelope showing refusal of the process by the defendant.” Okla. Stat. tit. 12, § 2004(C)(2)(c). And the record contains no such receipt or returned envelope for Reagan Gold Group, LLC; World Harvest Church, Inc.; or South Bay Galleries LLC.

JOAN KANE,  
CLERK OF COURT  
United States District Court  
Western District of Oklahoma

By: /s/ D. Wayne Lee  
Deputy Clerk

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<sup>1</sup> Serving an individual or a corporation or other association by mail is not permitted under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.